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Request for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants request that the time for responding to the Office Action, dated 22 February 2007 be extended from 22 May 2007 to 22 August 2007, for a total of three months pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) (fee of \$1020.00 for a large entity paid herein by check). Applicants request that the Commissioner charge any additional fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for this extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Acct. No. 03-0678.

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